Willer & Rhoads

This Store Closes Wednesday at 1:30—Richmond Day at State Fair

Celebrating Our Twenty-Fifth Anniversary and

"Fall Fashion Week"

October 1st to 8th.

Never was this store more beautiful than now, with its gorgeous decorations of autumn leaves, growing plants and cut flowers, and the magnificent display of new fall merchandise at moderate

A cordial invitation is extended to the visitors to the city as well as our regular customers to visit this beautiful Fashion Exhibit, with no thought of obligation to buy.

A special display of all wearing apparel for women, such as Dress Goods, Silks, Trimmings, Suits, Dresses, Coats, Waists, Footwear, Gloves, as well as House Furnishings of all kinds, including Carpets, Rugs, Lace Curtains, Draperies, Silver and Cut Glass. Crystal Palace open in base-

Store handsomely decorated. Everybody welcome.

New Fashionable Dress Goods

Is an Exposition of What's Best.

The Dress Goods exhibited here this season are some of the finest we have ever had. It seems almost incredible with all the different weaves and patterns that have been shown before that so many new things could be shown this season.

We call attention to-day to some particular new fabrics-

BOUCLE SUITINGS, \$2.00 YARD. 54 inches wide, in dark blue, tea green and Havana

NUB SUITINGS, \$2.00 YARD.

54 inches wide, in the new mixed effects, brown and tan and navy and Alice.

MANNISH GREY SUITINGS, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00 54 inches wide, very fashionable

SHARKSKIN SUITINGS, \$1.69 YARD.

Beautiful New Silks

In the Opening Display.

The beauty of this collection of New Fall Silks is that it embraces every kind of Silk, from the most diaphanous chiffon to the gorgeous brocades.

These rich looking Silks are in all the newest colorings, including the popular Persian effects. We mention here only a brief sketch of the newest and most popular Silks-

PERSIAN SILKS, 59c, 75c and \$1.00 YARD. PLAID SILKS, 59c, 69c and 85c YARD. BORDERED CREPE DE CHINES, 69c YARD. BLACK TAFFETA, 89c YARD.

35 inches wide, regular \$1.00 value. CHANGEABLE TAFFETAS, 59c YARD.

All pure silk, in the new color combinations.

Women's "Mi-Ro" Shoes, \$3.00

We want the trade and confidence of the people who wear shoes, and that means you; but we do not want it unless we deserve it. If an honest line of goods appeals to you; if you appreciate polite and courteous treatment; if you want a perfect shoe fitted by those who know how to fit you, we solicit your patronage. One of the latest models is our Mi-Ro, \$3.00.

Hand-Made Scaris 98c and Centres . . .

Beautiful hand-made Renaissance Centres and Scarfs. Never have we offered before such excellent values at this price.

You must see them to realize the value. The centres range in size from 24 inches to 36 inches. The work is in beautiful stitches. with pure linen centres, and eyelet embroidery let in. The scarfs are 20x54, and have a wide lace border with sprays of eyelet em broidery let in between the lace.

This sale begins promptly at 9:30 so as to

give every one a chance to get their choice. There is not a piece in the lot worth less

than \$1.75, and up to \$4.00 and \$5.00. On sale this morning for 98c each. No phone orders taken.

(See window display.)

Men's Silk Hose for 29c

This special offering should bring crowds of men to this section. An All Pure Silk Hose, with heel and toe mixed with lisle, which makes them wear better, fast colors of navy grey, tan, lavender, maroon and black, seam less; every pair of hose in this lot is perfect, and the biggest and best hosiery value ever less than 50c. Special anniversary 29c

Women's Pure Silk Hose-\$1 and \$1.25 Values for

These Stockings are every thread pure silk, fine, strong and lustrous, full fashioned, double heel and toe, with wide lisle top, to protect from hose supporters, good strong lisle sole, in all These Stockings are worth \$1.00 and

\$1.25; as a special anniversary offering 79c

it seems that some who have purchased lots and hold receipts for the money paid have failed to put the lot titles on paid have failed to put the lot titles on

Cemetery Committee Proposes to
Condemn Adjoining
Tracts.

Recognizing that Oakwood is not poly the largest cemetery in or around Richmond, but that there were annually more burials there than in any two others, and that there is now but if the available space, the Council Committee on Cemeteries last night recommended to the Council a resolution instructing the City Attorney for a report, members of the former keeper, the city never recommended to the Council committee was authorized to advertise instructing the City Attorney for a report, members of the committee expressing the view that where parties have purchased lots in good faith, the city should confirm their titles, even if through some irregular proceedings on the part of the former keeper, the city never recommended to the Council committee was authorized to advertise to his for erecting a concrete bridge at the entrance of Mt. Olivet Cemetery.

A knotty problem arose in the committee over the owvership of certain lots in Maury Cemetery, South Richmond, formerly the property of the city of Manchester. From the debate

Store Closed To-Day

ACCOUNT OF HOLIDAY WILL OPEN TO-MORROW

CONTINUING OUR

44th ANNIVERSARY SALE

Jacobs & Levy.

The Quality Shop.

FOR USING RAZOR

Also Put Under Bond of \$100 for Good Behavior for Twelve Months.

.Herbert H. Minitree, of 400 West Cary Street, was fined \$100 for carry-Ing a concealed weapon—to-wit; one razor—and required to give bond in the sum of \$100 for twelve months for his good behavior, in the Police Court yesterday morning.

To have money. Save it. Deposit your savings in The Savings Bank of Richmond Yesterday morning.

his good behavior, in the Police Court yesterday morning.

Minitree was arrested early Sunday morning at the instance of neighbors, who telephoned the Police Department asking that an officer be sent to the house, where the noise of a falling lamp and loud talking had occasioned alarm. When Officer Krengle arrived the doors were locked. While the officers were awaiting a warrant and authority to enter the house, Minitree came out, and, according to Officer Krengle, drew a razor and showed fight.

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Mrs. Minitree was in court yesterday. She admitted that her husband had been drinking and that he was noisy. She denied, however, that he had attacked or benten her, and stated that the lamp had fallen from the centre table in some way she could not explain—possibly knocked off accidentally. Certainly, she said, her husband had not thrown the lamp at her. The affair of the razor, she said, must have been due to drink, as both she and Minitree's mother deny that it was his custom to go armed.

Spoke on Hockworm.

Dr. Allen W. Freeman, Assistant State Health Commissioner, attended a meeting of the Southside Medical Society, held last night at Franklin, Southampton county. He spoke to the dectors on the spikes. doctors on the subject of hookworm.

AUTO OWNERSHIP PLAN TO REDUCE PROVES UNDOING COLLECTOR'S FEES

Autoist Said to Have Caused Verdict.

Caused Arrest and Suit for Damages.

Having alleged that a verdict was granted against him because possibly the jury was swayed by "rustic prejudie owner, and furthermore that the lower court erred in holding that there must be stealth and secrecy about a theft to make it larceny, G. A. Saunders was yesterday granted a writ of Piror by the Supreme Court of Ap-ceals from a judgment of the Circuit Court of Mecklenburg county. The letalls of the case are nothing if not nteresting.

interesting.

It seems from the evidence that Saunders, besides being what he calls "a ploneer owner of an automobile in that rural community," was also the proud possessor of at least two chickens About the sad fate of these specimens of the feathered tribe the whole story hangs.

Chickens Killed.

One D. E. Baldwin was conductor on a local freight train on the Seaboard Air Line, which was pursuing its leisurely way from Norlina to Richmond. Said train was laid out at Skelton Station, in Mecklenburg county, to await the passence of a train carrying the mails of a free republic. county, to await the passage of a train carrying the mails of a free republic. The last named flyer ran over two unfortunate chickens which had trespassed upon the right of way of the Seaboard. When the passenger train had gone on its way, it was found that one of the birds had yielded up its life, and that the other was badly injured. Instead of caring fir its wounds, according to the evidence, a colored brakeman named Paul Harris, caught it and killed it.

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In the conversation which is then stated to have taken place, this brakeman, and the conductor spoke the fateful words around which the cases bluge. Harris asked:

"Captain, what must I do with these here chickenns?"

"Take them down to the cab and we will const them and set them," so the

will cook them and eat them," so the conductor is reported to have re-

sponded.

Baldwin is also said to have made remarks to the station agent about those chickens which further tended to incriminate him.

Conductor Proscuted.

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Saunders, indignant over the fate of his pets, sent a note to Baldwin asking 50 cents each for the chickens. The conductor is said to have consigned Saunders to the regions where ice factories are unknown. Thereupon a warrant was issued for his arrest, and he, was convicted in the justice's court. He took an appeal to the Circuit Court, where the judge is quoted as saying that stealth and secrecy must be a part of the crime of larceny. Baldwin was therefore acquitted.

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Thereupon he sued Saunders for malicious prosecution, and got a verdict for \$500 damages. It is from this verdict that Saunders appeals. His case will be heard later.

One of his grounds of error is that counsel was permitted to give Saunders possession of an automobile especial prominence in the case, the presumption being that there was prejudice against the devil machine in the community. Saunders says that not only did he believe Baldwin to he suilty when he swore out the warrant, but, in fact, he insists that Baldwin was guilty of petit larceny. More or less profanity is scattered over the petition.

ALL MEETINGS GO OVER

Councilmen to Give Entire Week to Enjoyment of State Fair.

By order of President Charles F. Taylor, the regular meeting of the Board of Fire Commissioners was adjourned from last night until Monday night, on account of the State Fair. For the same reason the inspection of the City Home property, proposed for this afternoon by the Council Committee on Relief of the Poor, has been postponed until Tuesday afternoon of next week. There is now no municipal meeting of any sort scheduled for this week, unless some emergency arises.

CHALONER'S PIG NAMED
FOR RUSSIAN PRINCE

ISpecial to The Times-Dispatch.]
Cobham, Va., October 3.—John Armstrong Chaloner, of Merry Mills, has again come into the spotlight in the Chanler-Cavalleri marriage incident. Not content with having set the whole country laughing by his telegram to his brother Robert asking "Who's looney now?" he has sent a prize hog to the Virginia State Fair and named him "Dolgorouki." The pig's pen is adorned with immesse posters, bearing the name of the Russian prince who figured so largely as a friend of Lina Cavalleri.

Fertilizer Factory to Be Considered To-Morrow Night.

Those farmers who have recently become interested in the formation of a co-operative company for the man facture of lime and fertilizer, will meet in the auditorium of Murphy's Hotel to-morrow night at 8 o'clock. At Hotel to-m

Only One Sure Way

The Savings Bank of Richmonal

1117 East Main Street.



Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch Used tin cans to roof her house. SHE could not do better under the circum-

stances. YOU can have the BEST tin roof if you specify PEARL I. C. Roofing Tin.

GORDON METAL CO. Fourteenth and Dock Sts., Richmond, Va.

The Alco Gets you there and brings you back. Richmond Transfer Company

809 East Main Street. Watch this space.

'Rustic Passion" of Jury Against Pollard Proposes to Cut Off Emoluments of High-Pay Office.

TWO CHICKENS INVOLVED SITE FOR NEW COURTHOUSE

Slaying and Eating of Pets Proposition to Condemn Ford's Hotel Block Introduced in Council.

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proved too much for the Common Council last night. When the gavel of President Peters fell, twenty-four of the forty members answered to their names—a bare quorum. It requires, however, twenty-even votes to appropriate money, or to adopt the more important measures pending. In view of the doubt of securing additional members Mr. Lynch moved that the body adjourn to next Monday night at 8 o'clock.

In seconding the motion Mr. Pollock took occasion to rap dilatory members, calling attention to the fact that it was twenty minutes after 8 before there was even a bare quorum in the building. Several members announced that hereafter they would insist on the meetings being called to order promptly at the time announced, and if there were not a working cuorum present, would at once move to adjourn, leaving to the absentees the burden of explaining to their constituents why they were not in place to transact the city's business.

Two papers of i--ortance were sent to the clerk's desk by Chairman H R. Pollard, Jr., of the Finance Committee. They will be introduced and referred to appropriate committees next Monday night. The first resolution reads:

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"That the City Attorney be, and he is hereby, instructed to acquire, by gift, purchase or condemnation, the lot or block of land bounded by Broad Street on the north, Capito, Street on the Nouth, Eleventh Street on the west, and Twelfth Street on the west, and Twelfth Street on the municipality for such purpose as the Council may direct."

The greater part of this block is covered by what is known as Ford's Hotel, an ancient building now vacant and falling into decay, part of which has been condemned. There are several old residences, but no modern buildings an the remainder of the block.

City Hadl Overcrowded.

Mr. Pollard explained that it way

has been condemned. There are several old residences, but no modern buildings an the remainder of the block.

Mr. Pollard explained that it was becoming more and more evident that the city would shortly need additional room, all of the City Hall offices being occupied, while rooms are being rented outside for the newly created office of City Chemist. The ultimate plan is the erection of a city court building on the lot. Mr. Pollard said that it was not his idea to go on with the erection at once, but simply to secure the site while it was on the market, and before expensive improvements were made, which would increase the cost.

The City Hall heating plant is under the Eleventh Street sidewalk, and might readily be arranged to do for both buildings, while in other ways it would be more satisfactory and economical to have the two city buildings adjoining.

Cut Down Collector's Fees.

The other resolution to be offered by Mr. Pollard proposes a substantial reduction in the emoluments of the office of City Collector, a position described by the chairman of the Finance Committee as a fifth wheel in the city financial machinery. For merely acting as a receiving teller for the receipt of such city taxes as citizens elect to pay at his office, Collector Cunningham drew fees last year in excess of \$10,000, and under the new city assessment, Mr. Pollard estimates that the fees of the office will exceed \$13,000 a year.

The office is created by legislative enactment, and would require a charter change to aboilsh it, an effort to accomplish which will undoubtedly be made before the next Legislature. Meanwhile Mr. Pollard proposes to save a part of the cost of the office by reducing the commission from five-eighths to three-eighths of 1 per cent. on all money handled by his office. The present ordinance provides a commission of five-eighths of 1 per cent. on all money collected and paid into the city treasury. The action would mean a saving to the city with office and office, and office, and office and office equipment and

FARMERS TO MEET

Farmers Invited to Hear Expert Talk
Farmers are invited to attend a lecture to be given at 11 o'clock this
morning and each morning during the
State Fair at the exhibit of the State
Department of Agriculture, in the new
building.

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M. Zimpelmann, who is in charge of a 400-acre alfalfa farm in King George county, will deliver the lectures. He has specimens of each of his four cuttings of this year, and will be ready to answer all questions and to give any information within his power.

Building Permits.

Building and repair permits were issued yesterday as follows:
Philip Framma, to repair a frame dwelling, 408 North Thirty-fourth Street, to cost \$350.

M. A. Vonderlehr, to repair a frame dwelling, 1215 West Leigh Street, to cost \$600.

A. P. Lawsha, to repair a frame dwelling, 1217 Buchanan Street, to cost \$300.

H. Berkert estate, to repair a frame

3300.

H. Berkert estate, to repair a frame store and dwelling, 227 North Seventeenth Street, recently damaged by fire to cost \$450.

John W. Brauer, to repair two brick dwellings, 11 and 17 North Twenty-first Street, to cost \$525.

Mrs. Catherine Erskine, to repair a brick dwelling, 18 North Seventeenth Street, to cost \$150.

Mrs. Martha Cannon, to repair brick dwelling, 15 North Seventeenth Street, to cost \$150.

Camp Ready to Open,
For the purpose of making final preparations for the opening of the City Tuberculosis Camp, the board of directors will meet to-night at the Nurses' Settlement. The camp is now practically complete and will be ready for the reception of patients within a dew days.

Men's Clothes Youths' Clothes, Children's Clothes

We make a specialty of each, and can serve you with the utmost satisfaction to yourselves. Whenever you see a garment with the G.-R. label it means excellent quality at moderate cost. Hats and Furnishings, too.

Gans-Rady Company

CHARGE AGAINST JEWISH PEOPLE KIRBY DISMISSED

Employers Do Not Appear Religious Service Marks Cele-Against Former Bijou Manager.

Manager.

The grand jury in the Hustings Court yesterday dismissed the case against William T. Kirby, former manager of the Bijou Theatre, charged on a warrant sworn out by his former employers, Wilmer and Vincent, with grand larceny, the specific amount alleged to have been embezzied having been \$97.96. Walter Vincent and E. L. Koneke, president and counsel for the Wilmer and Vincent corporation, failed to appear, although it was stated that Mr. Koneke was in the city, Moe Levy, of Norfolk, appeared as attorney for Mr. Vincent and made a statement to the grand jury which was apparently satisfactory. Police officer J. F. Wiley was the only other witness. He was present, but could only testify as to serving the original warrant on Kirby in Norfolk, and his later appearance here when his bail was renewed.

Outside of the grand jury room the understanding was that a satisfactory settlement had been reached, Kirby having explained that his alleged shortage was caused by his efforts to shield another employe of the Wilmer and Vincent circuit, and since the employers did not appear to prosecute, the grand jury roturned the prosentment marked "Not a true bill." The jury also failed to find an indictment against Calile Jones, against whom a presentment had been brought.

Indictments Brought is.

After a long day's work the jury did not more than half complete the presentment prepared by Commonwealth's Attorney Folkes and adjourned to meet than half complete the presentments prepared by Commonwealth's Attorney Folkes and adjourned to meet the grand at Thursday at 11 o'clock, when, reports has it, several other material prosperity and solve of business being closed in honor of the day, the day is practically observed unanimously by the Jewish congregations, all ther stores and places of business being closed in honor of the day, the day is practically observed by a general interchange of good wisher and visits, with gifts of flowers, etc.

Infeligence 10 the religious New Year's the organ and the music was conducted by D

sentments prepared by Commonwealth's Attorney Folkes and adjourned to meet again at Thursday at 11 o'clock, when, reports has it, several other matters outside of the regular routine will be considered.

True bills were found yesterday as follows:

Archer Anderson, alias William H. Anderson, bigamy; Isaac Coleman, housebreaking; Lottle Dandridge, grand larceny; Robert H. Epps, grand larceny; Bobert H. Epps, grand larceny; John East, burglary; John H. Gray, malicious wounding; Charles Jones, cocaine; Wharton Mitchell, forgery on two counts; William Perry, housebreaking, on five counts, and burglary on one; William Perry, housebreaking, two counts; Preston Smith, malicious wounding; Baker Stewart, housebreaking; Mercer Vaughan, grand larceny.

Members of the grand jury are Andrew J. Daffron, W. C. Camp, L. Z. Morris, R. G. Rennolds, A. C. Harman, F. H. Garber, Levin Joynes and E. H. Fergusson. L. Z. Morris is foreman.

Marriage Licenses,

Marriage licenses were issued yesterday as follows: John Jennings Parker and Lottle Price Wilmoth; Marshall W. Beville and Annie Blair Goode; James S. Cox and Ida Cleveland Boley; John W. Butter and Maggle E. Snoddy; Raymond E. Jackson and Bertha D. Nunnally; William E. Field and Eppie E. Mills; William E. Field and Eppie E. Mills; William E. Field and Maude S. Baker; Joseph Yurachek and Annie Romey; Harry Smith and Lillie Pincus.

Mrs. V. A. Smith Fined. In the Police Court yesterday morning Justice Crutchfield imposed a fine of \$50 and costs upon Mrs. V. A. Smith for conducting an objectionable establishment at 1206 East Franklin Street, near the State Library Building. Four men and four women caught in the house when the police raided it last Saturday night were each fined \$20 and costs.

bration of New Year. Stores to Close.

ISpecial to The Times-Dispatch.]
Lynchburg, Va., October 2.—Vice-President H. B. Spencer, of the Southern Rallway, met the Lynchburg Committee on Streets in two conferences here to-day, the conference looking to a change in location of the proposed new passenger station. The committee wants the station located at Tenth and Kemper Streets instead of at Seventh and Buchanan, the new location being three squares nearer the street car line. The new site will cost the rallway \$21,000, and it will be used if the city can have a few minor obstacles removed before the property is bought. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

You will be more than interested in the Schwarzschild store this season, for everything is here at prices as low as is

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you have a reliable timepiece. If not, let us show it to you—one of the finest American-made Watches—17 jewels—\$15.00 and up. Smith & Webster, Inc.

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Silver Syrup Piccher and Tray

Dainty design. Best quality quadruple plate on hard white metal-Stands 5 inches high. Hinged top; covered spout; tray 6 inches in diameter al price \$2.50. \$1.70 FAIR WEEK PRICE

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